## A Healthy Border with Mexico = More Jobs in Pennsylvania

## Job Creation and Growth

## In the United States...

- Trade with Mexico supports 6 million U.S. jobs, or 1 in every 24 workers in the nation depends on U.S.-Mexico trade for their employment.
- Mexico is the second largest destination for U.S. exports and third largest source of imports.
- A full 40% of U.S. imports from Mexico are made of content produced in the United States.

## In Pennsylvania, specifically...

246, 409 Jobs rely on Trade with Mexico \$2.84 Billion in Exports to Mexico

- Pennsylvania's exports to Mexico have grown at an annual average rate of 8% over the past two decades. In 2012, the exports to Mexico increased by 8% with respect to the previous year.
- Since 1992, Pennsylvania's exports to Mexico have **increased by 334.5%.** This means that the export growth rate to Mexico is **1.55 times higher** than its export growth rate for the rest of the world.
- Among all countries, Mexico is ranked as the 3rd largest market for goods from Pennsylvania in 2012.
  Mexico accounted for 7.3% of Pennsylvania's exports worldwide in 2012.

Ensuring adequate resources and infrastructure at our ports of entry means more jobs for Americans

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